GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY
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INSTALLATION OF SOLAR WATER HEATING SYSTEM
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Will the Minister of NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Model Regulation/ Bye-Laws which make mandatory the installation of Solar Water Heating System in certain categories of buildings have been implemented in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof; (

(c) if not, the reasons therefor; and

(d) the time by which these are likely to be implemented?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY(SHRI VILAS MUTTEMWAR)

(a)&(b): A model regulation/ bye-laws was circulated by the Ministry of Urban Development to all State/Union Territory Governments with a view to make the installation of solar water heating systems mandatory in certain categories of buildings. Based on this, 18 States have issued necessary orders to their Urban Local Bodies.26 Municipal Corporations/Development Authorities in seven States have so far amended their building bye-laws.

(c)&(d): Does not arise.